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Presented for filing is a new continuation patent application of:

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Title:

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The prior application is assigned of record to Light & Sound Design Ltd., a British corporation, by virtue of an assignment submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office and recorded on June 18, 1993 at 6603/0062.

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

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### **Enclosures:**

- Form PTO-1449, 1 page, listing documents cited in the parent application(s). Per 37 CFR 1.98(d), copies of these documents are not provided. Please confirm that these have been considered in this application by returning a copy of the Form PTO-1449 with the examiner's initials.
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This application is a continuation (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC 120) of U.S. application serial no. 10/007,008, filed December 4, 2001 (now U.S Patent No. 6,597,132), which is a continuation of U.S. application serial no. 09/313,418, filed May 17, 1999 (now U.S. Patent No. 6,326,741), which is a continuation of U.S. application serial no. 08/994,036, filed December 18, 1997 (now U.S. Patent No. 5,921,659), which is a divisional of U.S. application serial no. 08/576,211, filed December 21, 1995 (now U.S. Patent No. 5,788,365), which is a continuation of U.S. application serial no. 08/077,877, filed June 18, 1993 (now U.S. Patent No. 5,502,627). The disclosure of the prior application is considered part of (and is incorporated by reference in) the disclosure of this application.

This application also claims priority under 35 USC 119 of Great Britain patent applications 9220303 filed September 25, 1992; 9220309 filed September 25, 1992; and 9308071 filed April 20, 1993.

#### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT:

In the specification, page 1, before line 1, please insert:

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This application presents one independent claim.

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